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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of \_\_\_\_\_ July 12, 2004

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time for response for a period of one month. The period for response the Office Action dated March 10, 2004 for above-identified patent application will now expire on July 12, 2004, since the 10th of July fell on a Saturday.

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed for the one month extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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